

PREMIER'S ACTION FACES DISCUSSION AT MEETING

Motion Passed By House

LIBERALS WIN Carabin's and P-C's Oppose; Defeat Amendments

In a bilingual session highlighted by sharp verbal duels and thundered wisecracks, the C.C.F. and L.P.P. supported the Liberal Resolution to defeat the combined opposition of the University of Montreal (Mouvement Republicain Confederatif) and the Progressive Conservatives.

A real cross-section of Canadian opinion was expressed in this Parliament, and the five political parties represented thrashed out many Canadian issues, some of them having little relation to the resolution under discussion. Dr. Ollivier of the House of Commons in Ottawa was Speaker for this session, and all parties presented bilingual speakers.

The Liberal Government presented a Resolution proposing the taking-over by the Dominion of certain taxes from the provinces, who would be repaid a minimum of 16 dollars per capita per annum. They also proposed a compensatory fiscal policy to smooth out the fluctuations of the business cycle and thus avoid depressions.

"The Liberals want to turn our confederation into a Union, losing us our hard-won liberties," charged Pierre Ste. Marie of the official Opposition. He added that Confederation was a pact, and could not be changed without the consent of both parties to this pact.

Speaking for the C.C.F., Jon Wolfe agreed to the tax proposals of the Resolution, but opposed the fiscal policy on the grounds that it was not strong enough to control the big monopolies. "Quebec is considered as a sort of Indian reservation," he continued, by the big monopolies, a pool of cheap labour. He added that racial prejudice was symptom of economic inequality.

Gil Rosenberg of the L.P.P. said that the stand of the Liberals did not correspond with the stand of the Dominion party. He accepted the centralization proposals of the Liberals but moved an amendment to raise personal income taxes, corporation and inheritance taxes, and to eliminate sales taxes.

"This Government is trying to substitute coercion for confidence," stated Bob Simpson of the Progressive Conservatives. He added that 60 per cent. of the people in the Dominion are from provinces opposed to the Fed. proposals and that the provincial premiers, being close to their people, should know what they want.

The Liberals then supported their resolution, claiming that it would result in a more equal distribution of wealth throughout the provinces, charging the C.C.F. and L.P.P. with "bad economics".

Summing up for the University
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Outward Bound Opens Tonight

After weeks of preparation, the curtain will rise at last on "Outward Bound", the current English department production, tonight at 8.30 in Moyses Hall.

This play is perhaps the first one in Montreal to have a complete understudy cast. Both are all-student casts and have been under the direction of Elmer Hall. Starring in the first are John Drexler, Norma Hobbs, Leo Ciceri, Marjorie Baker, with supporting actors Keith Tishshaw, James Jarrett, Barbara Clements, Edward Pope, and Gordon Barrington.

The alternate cast includes David McCallan, Mary Howell, Michael Sakella, and Mary Allen.

William and Mary Long, newcomers to the staff of the English department are in charge of the setting and make-up. They have been assisted by students of English 13 and 22, who have spent extra hours outside of their laboratory times to help build scenery. "Outward Bound" has provided them with invaluable experience. Tickets can be obtained by applying to Elmer Hall or by contacting any student in the above English courses. All seat sales are \$1.00, including tax.

Bovey Shield Awarded to Dawson Vet

The finals in the Bovey Shield Debating Contest, designed to discover the most proficient freshman debater, were held at Dawson College last evening and Kenneth Hague, a student veteran belonging to the Engineering Faculty at Dawson, was declared the winner.

Mr. Hague opposed the resolution that political clubs on the McGill Campus should be abolished, stressing the fact that a college education is not a mere matter of book learning but involves studies of life and citizenship in which Political Clubs play a large part. The three other finalists were George Powell, Dawson Arts Student, Libbie Parkin of R.V.C., and Hugh Hamilton, McGill Science man. Of these the two former opposed the resolution while Mr. Hamilton upheld it.

Mr. Powell said that Campus Groups are taking their politics very seriously and so sharing the responsibilities of citizenship. Miss Parkin is of the opinion that universities must not isolate themselves from the world, but must take a part in politics. Mr. Hamilton, who would prefer the replacement of Political Clubs by political science clubs, with representatives from all parties, regards the presence of the former as being decidedly bad for the Campus.

Five minutes were allotted to each speaker, and content and delivery were taken equally into consideration by the judges, Mrs. Cann, Mr. George Falle and Mr. J. Coyle. Mr. Wilfred Bovey, Director of the McGill Extension Department, presented the shield to the winner before an audience of over a hundred persons.

The chairman of the contest, the first to be held outside Montreal since its introduction twenty years ago, was Isadore Rosenfeld.

Engineer Chairman At Dawson DEAN IS GUEST

Dawson engineers will have their first opportunity of meeting the heads of the various departments in engineering tonight at 7.00 p.m. in the large theatre at Dawson College.

Accompanying Dean J. J. O'Neill and the chairmen of departments will be the executive of the Engineering Undergraduate Society. This meeting has been arranged by 1st year president Hal Gordon to give the Dawson plumbers an opportunity of finding out what is offered in the various kinds of engineering and also to learn what they may expect at McGill next year.

The various heads of departments going to Dawson will be Professors Jamieson-Civil, Robb-Mechanical, Christie - Electrical, Bladon - Mining, Bland - Architecture, MacEwan - Metallurgy and Phillips - Chemical. All the professors will be the supper guests of Prof. Gillson, Vice-Principal of Dawson College.

The meeting will consist of 5 minute talks from each of the department chairmen and Dean O'Neill. After each talk the engineers will be given an opportunity to ask questions. When this more formal part of the evening is completed the meeting will be broken up into small discussion groups where the students may ask any questions they like about the engineering courses given at McGill and the prospects for jobs after they graduate.

This is the first real attempt to give Dawson students a chance to learn something of what goes on at McGill and it is expected that a large group will be in attendance at the theatre.

Fridays' Vote Will Decide 'Key' Members

Dawson students will be called to the polls again this Friday, December 13, when they cast ballots for representatives in the newly-formed Dawson Key Society. A large turnout is expected at the Gymnasium, where the voting will be held between the hours of 10.00 a.m. and 4 p.m. it was announced today by Secretary-Treasurer W. D. Hilliard of the Dawson Students' Council.

This year, for the first time in the college's short history, the Students' Council has inaugurated the Dawson Key, with the aim of sponsoring greater participation in its programme, and providing the college with an urgently-needed body, whose function will be similar to that of McGill's Scarlet Key. The group will be in charge of regulating and ushering the athletic and social functions to be held here in the future.

Eight nominees are running in the Arts and Science section, while eight students are listed for the Engineering Dawson Key Society. In the latter group, are found the names of nominees J. C. Allen, Jeff Ganten, R. F. Gill, P. D. Henry, M. Carlyle Johnston, A. Lesage, C. E. Robertson and N. Vlahos; while running in the Engineering section are F. G. Beer, V. G. Findlay, L. Gotthel, G. E. Hadley, J. S. Newman, S. Schoner, T. Y. Strath, and C. G. Thompson. Seven members are to be elected from the Arts and Science group, and six from Engineering.

The Commerce faculty representatives have been elected by acclamation, and E. J. Pellow and V. J. Mousseau will represent the campus' smallest faculty.

FENCING CLUB

The first social of the McGill Fencing Club will take place tonight in the B. W. & F. Room of the Gym at 8.15. Included in the program are dancing and refreshments. All fencers are asked to turn out to make this social a success.

Dents' Dance Set for Friday

Friday, the thirteenth, is the day set for the Dental Undergraduates Informal to be held in the Union Ballroom at 8.30 p.m. Frankie Modler and his Syncopaters will supply the music as the "molar maulers" take time off for their first dance of the season.

A special invitation has been extended to all pre-Dents on the campus. It is felt that the occasion, should give them an opportunity to meet members of the present classes as well as learning something of the faculty in general.

In an anti-inflationary move that is fast winning the wholehearted support of the faculty, the ticket price has been pegged at one dollar the couple. All those who have not yet obtained their tickets are urged to do so as soon as possible from their class representatives. Pre-Dents can obtain theirs by contacting any student of the Dental Faculty or by inquiring in the Dental section of the Medical Building.

Players' Club Hold Try-Out For New Play

Castings for the Players' Club's annual major production "Dear Ruth" will begin this evening at 6.00 p.m. under the direction of Jack Pinguey, in the club room in the Union. In addition to the meeting this evening, rehearsals will continue on Friday at the same time, and on Saturday afternoon from 1.30 to 4.

The play, written by Norman Kraus, is a light, three-act comedy, and has just finished a season's run on Broadway. It is about an "hilarious weekend" of the suburban Wilkins family, and of their trials and tribulations when several servicemen drop in as their unexpected guests. It all hinges around the actions of the youngest daughter who writes gushy letters as part of her war service, and signs her older sister's name.

Mr. Wilkins is a middle-aged municipal judge who finds his daughters much more than a legal problem. Mrs. Wilkins, who has managed to bring up her family in the best of manners, is shocked at her youngest daughter's activities. Ruth, the beautiful and intelligent eldest daughter, is compelled to live up to her sister's letters. Miriam, the youngest Wilkins, is a high school senior, who already has the indications of being one of these active middle-aged clubwomen.

The remainder of the cast include Ruth's fiancé, a 4-F bank official; the maid, two visiting airmen, and a sailor.

RED & WHITE REVUE Rehearsal Call

There will be a rehearsal for everyone in the opening of the show on Sunday, December 15, in the Union Ballroom starting at 1.45 p.m. Everyone in the opening must BE PRESENT. Girls in the dancing line are asked to bring their usual costume, and changing facilities will be provided.

Will all those required to be present please check the Call Board on the door of the Revue Office.

NFCUS MEET YESTERDAY, TODAY TO PREPARE FOR CONFERENCE

Student Government Arouses Attention

Two subjects, vital to students, housing and student government, were discussed at the fourth general meeting of the local committee of NFCUS in the Music Room yesterday.

Preparatory to the national conference, of NFCUS in Toronto on Dec. 27, 28, 29, the local committee presented the results of the studies of two of its panel committees. The first report, on student government, was presented by Mike Townsend, chairman of the panel committee on student government. The subjects covered in the report were a summary of the constitution of the Student's Society, with recommendations for possible improvements, and a review of the Athletics situation both here and in other universities with the idea of improving the present setup at McGill.

There was a great deal of discussion at the conclusion of this report on such points as the clarification of the powers of the SEC, representation in the SEC of the faculties on the basis of the number of students in each one, and changing the quorum from a fixed number to a per centage of the total student enrollment.

Len Starkey, chairman of the panel committee on student employment, next presented the report on student employment problems. A review of the work of the panel was first given, and then a presentation of the recommendation. Some of these were as follows: 1) That there should be student representation on the University Employment Service; 2) the principle of equal pay for equal work regardless of race, creed, sex or background; 3) that all students should undertake employment in the summer as part of their training.

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Annual Says Biographies Due Dec. 18

"All completed biography forms must be handed in to either the photographer at the Jacoby Studios, or to the faculty representative, or directly to the 'Old McGill' office by December 18, 1946! This was the statement issued yesterday by Annual Graduates Editor, Sue Koontow.

She emphasized that no biography forms would be accepted after this date and that any student who do not turn their in will not have their picture in the Annual. She said that this was not meant as an ultimatum to graduating students, but was because of the fact that all biographies are going to be sent to the printer during the Christmas holidays.

All graduates must have their picture taken on the assigned days. Where a graduate cannot have his picture taken on the set date, he (or she) must go to Jacoby Studios, not later or earlier than two days from the set date.

After the sitting all graduates
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Education, Housing On Today's Agenda

Today, in the Ballroom, reports on international scholarships, student housing, and education will be presented to a general meeting of NFCUS, from 12.30 to 2.00.

These reports will deal with problems of interest to every student, and the greater the participation, the more representative and effective these reports will be. International scholarships will present findings on the scholarships available to Canadian students, and possible improvements that can be made in this field. Student housing is self-explanatory, but there are many controversial issues that will be brought up; it will be to the advantage of all those concerned with this problem to turn up in order that their views on the matter may be heard. Education is a problem that every student, by definition, is interested in; here you can express all your complaints of college methods, and hear proposals for their improvement.

After the reports the chairman of the local NFCUS committee, Clem Beauchamp, will explain the position of the McGill Committee in the national organization, the advantage to individual students of an organization such as NFCUS, and the manner in which the panel committee and the national conference works. The report of the panel on cultural unity will be presented at a special meeting on Friday.

Gay Program Planned For Co-ed Party

The R.V.C. Christmas Party to be held on Saturday, December 14th promises much in the way of entertainment. In addition to dancing from 8 p.m. 'til midnight, to the music of Don Cameron's orchestra, the co-eds have planned a program which includes skits, a freshette chorus line and carol singing.

Christmas trees, gay lights, colourful murals and mistletoe will decorate the Upper Gym and rumour has it that Santa Claus himself will be present to add to the festive spirit. The Common Room, too, will have its share of decorations and will be open to everyone.

Dr. Muriel V. Roscoe, Warden of R.V.C., and Heddie Brown, President of the Women's Union will receive the guests.

This party presents the one opportunity of the year the women students have to entertain men at the Royal Victoria College, and co-eds are particularly urged to give their fullest support.

Tickets, which cost \$1.50 per couple, are sold to co-eds only. These tickets can be bought at booths specially set up in the Arts Building, at the entrance to Moyses Hall or from any of the following people: Betty Torrence, Sue Koontow, Joan Peterson, Sydney Fullerton, Janet Nicholson, Joy McKay, Margaret MacGibbon, Jerry Ayre, Rae Hunter, Kayo Little, Susie Read and Martha Morgan.

Staff-Student Forum In Union Friday Nite

A Staff-Student Forum on "Christianity, Politics, and Economics" will be held on Friday evening, December 13, at 8 p.m. in the Union Grill.

Meetings of this type are held from time to time for the purpose of co-ordinating various fields of knowledge as well as to discuss fundamental problems like the above.

Faculty members who will be taking part in the Forum include Professors Boulding, of Economics; Fieldhouse, History; Martin, Anatomy; and Dodd, Engineering. Professor R. D. MacLennan will be in the chair. The discussion will be opened by Mr. Glenn Cowan, McGill graduate, Navy veteran and at present coach of the McGill track team.

Staff members are students who are interested in such discussions are invited to attend.

Students' Assembly Called in Protest Of Roncarelli Action

RINK-AUDITORIUM CAM- PAIGN

Canvassers Totals	
Women	\$2,400
Men	\$1,800
Dawson	\$ 800
Percentage of Students who have contributed:	
Arts & Science	55
Commerce	46
Engineering	47
Medicine	55
Law	29
Dawson	42
Dentistry	22
Others	55

Rink Campaign Calls For Renewed Effort

Wednesday's returns put the Rink-Auditorium Students' Campaign over the \$6,000 mark. Returns were light and most student donations small. The Campaign will run until Monday, December 16. The desk of the Registrar's office will be open on Monday afternoon from 2 until 6 p.m. Canvassers are to make their final reports on Monday.

Students who have not yet given their donation or who may feel that the contribution they have made is too small, may give post-dated cheques or pledge to their canvasser. These should be redeemable in January or February. A sincere effort on the part of all canvassers and students is essential to the success of the Campaign.

Encouragement in the form of a cheque for \$100 was received from Henry Morgan & Company today.

Dawson College reports over \$800 collected from 42 per cent. of the students, while McGill has reached the sum of \$5,000 from 50 per cent. Another \$1,000 dollars has been promised but not yet received.

Commerce Hears Hackett At Banquet

The second supper-meeting of the Commerce Undergraduate was held last night in the Union Grill Room with close to 100 members of the society attending. Guest speaker for the evening was W. T. Hackett, director of the economics department of the Bank of Montreal.

His subject covered the field of the foreign exchange relationships between Canada and United States over the period of the last six years and traced the development of Canada's position with regards to her holdings of United States funds. His speech was free from any technical economic jargon and was, according to the executive, exceptionally well received by those attending. Following his address, a lively discussion period ensued during which the Bank of Montreal Economist was questioned on various aspects of Canada's foreign exchange developments.

The first part of the meeting was devoted to official business of the Undergraduate Society. Jim Peers, athletics chairman, outlined the interfaculty sports set-up and sent out an appeal for participants. Charles Butterworth, debating chairman, announced the formation of a Commerce debating group, while newly elected Students' Council Representative Jack Ronson was introduced. The retiring Council member, Bill Reid, was presented with a gift by the executive as a token of appreciation for his efforts.

Besides the guest speaker, head table guests also included Professors Boulding, Higgins and Culliton of the Department of Economics. President George Woods was in the chair, while Mike Townsend introduced the speaker, who was thanked by Murray Lamb.

To Start at 5 In Ballroom

The action taken by Premier Maurice Duplessis of Quebec against the Witnesses of Jehovah and Mr. Roncarelli, will be up for discussion this afternoon when the Students' Society meets at 5 p.m. as was previously announced by President Alec Ross.

This general meeting of the Society will be able to entertain motions from the floor if the 500 students required to form a quorum are present.

INTEREST AROUSED

The action of the Provincial government has awakened keen student interest. Many see in disregard of democratic principles in the suppression of the Jehovah Witnesses and the cancellation of Mr. Roncarelli's liquor permit. They have further expressed the belief that such action jeopardized fundamental democratic rights of freedom of religion and of speech. This stand received extensive publicity and coverage in the local press with detailed reports on the activities of the undergraduates of this university.

GROUPS VOICE OPINIONS

Many clubs and associations have gone on record in The Daily as opposing the action of the provincial government. Amongst these is the Progressive Conservative Party whose resolution to that effect was not published yesterday for lack of space in The Daily.

In charge of the plans for the meeting is a steering committee of five men, elected last Friday, which has attempted to rally the whole student body to the issue.

Interested students have contacted Professor B. S. Keirstead, a member of the Civil Liberties Union and have him address the assembly if it so desired, but up to press time, there had been no official report that Professor Keirstead, out of town until this morning, had accepted.

The President of the Students' Executive Council, Alex Ross, mentioned that all members should remember that the assembly will be a governed activity and not a popular meeting, hence the publication
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CORRECTION

The following mistake occurred in reporting the election results for the R.V.C. representative to the Students' Executive Council. These results were as follows:
Barbara Jackson 163
Mary Ann Skare 155
Druisilla Riley 151
Marie Mottolo 79
In yesterday's Daily the last two numbers were reversed.

WORLD EVENTS

New York: It has been reported that the Russians have rejected the compromise proposal of Henri Spaak, Assembly President, on arms reduction and census — this is not official. Today the discussion on the veto question comes before the Assembly. — It was agreed by the Council of Foreign Ministers yesterday, that the Big Four would sign the satellite peace treaties on Feb. 10, in Paris. They also agreed to a meeting of a commission of deputies to hear small nation views on the German peace treaty in London on Jan. 14. The Big Four Council is now trying to line up the agenda for the German peace talks in Moscow on March 10.

Caracas, Venezuela: There has been a revolt by some sections of the Airforce in Venezuela, originating in the Maracay garrison. The insurrection is now under control.

480 Vets Swell Enrolment At McGill January 1947

More than 480 new veteran students will be enrolled in an extra academic session starting this January. It was announced yesterday by Dr. F. Cyril James following a meeting of the Board of Governors. This figure is based on accepted applications and estimates, with new applications being received daily.

The new students will be drawn from Ontario and western Canada, as well as from Quebec and the Maritimes. Officially McGill has informed the Department of Veterans Affairs that it is ready to accommodate Toronto and western veterans who cannot be cared for until a new session at the University of Toronto and at western universities.

In January, 1945, McGill opened its doors to some 160 veterans, the first such group in Canada to be admitted to a new university session opening in January. With the admittance of the 460 or more veterans due to begin work next month, McGill will take in the last such veteran group to be accommodated at a major Canadian university.

Present figures show that 464 men and 11 women will enter in courses in arts, science, commerce and engineering. Majority of these students will be entered in first year work.

Of the 454 men, 69 are married veterans. Entering first year work in the faculty of arts and science
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The White Tower

by M.E.H.

Once there was a man who built himself a tower.
He built it with his own hands.

When the tower was finished, everyone for miles around said it was the finest they had ever seen. It rose many storeys above the ground, solid and round, built of row on row of shiny white bricks, millions of them. And the man stood at the bottom and said: "How wonderful it is that one of these bricks, only three inches thick, nine inches long, and six inches wide, occupies such a small space of itself, but I have put millions of them together with my own hands and built this wonderful tower, the finest ever seen!"

Then he went up the spiral stairs into the tower, to the topmost floor, where a noble window looked out on the surrounding countryside. But when he looked out of this window, he saw that the people around him were living in ugly hovels. Many of the people were very ugly themselves, too, and starving, with large staring eyes and protruberant bellies. And the man said: "This is not good to look upon, I must have only beauty and happiness in my tower," and he took bricks and mortar and blocked up the window, being sure that there was a nice smooth surface on the inside, so that he would never have to remember that there had ever been a window there at all.

Just then there was a loud noise at the bottom of the tower, and shouts of hungry people, crying for bread. So the man went down and dragged his supplies of food to the upper storeys and then went down again and bricked up the entrance, making sure that there was a nice smooth surface on the inside, so that he would never have to remember that there had ever been a door there at all.

Then he took all his books to the upper chamber, which was furnished with rich rugs and draperies and paintings and statuary of all that is beautiful in man.

He sat down on a cushioned seat to read a book of high-minded poetry, but the cries of the people outside were still going on, so he took some cotton and carefully stuffed his ears.

But just as he settled down to read, he clutched at his throat, and fell to the floor, where he soon died in most horrible agony.

He had forgotten to leave any openings for ventilation in his tower, his wonderful tower, the finest ever seen!

MARY HOWELL.

Music and Drama

Chamber Music

Like so many of his compositions, the four chamber suites by Johann Sebastian Bach, which the McGill String Quartet and ensemble are presenting in the four concerts at the Hermitage by the Montreal Festivals devoted to Handel's Twelve Grand Concertos, are wrapped in mystery so far as their origin and date of composition are concerned. The Suite No. 2 in B minor, is to be presented with the fourth, fifth and sixth of the Handel Concertos at the concert of Friday, December 13.

The original manuscript of the suites is lost. The present full score was compiled from a set of parts which were housed in the famous Amalia section of the Prussian State Library in Berlin before the war just concluded in Europe.

Bach wrote these suites during his term of office as chapel master to the Prince of Anhalt-Cöthen. There he had at his disposal a small chamber group for which it is known that he wrote his immortal Brandenburg Concertos.

The suite in B minor is scored for flute, violins, viola and the usual bass parts.
Tickets can be obtained at Montreal Festivals, Room 14, Windsor Hotel.

"Outward Bound"

The current play "Outward Bound" opens tonight and Friday in Moyse Hall. It is being produced by the English Department and directed by Mr. and Mrs. Long. It is one of McGill's major theatrical productions and should not be missed.

Reserve tickets for the two performances can be obtained from students in the drama courses or from Elmer Hall, Arts Building. All seats are \$1.00.

Musicalities

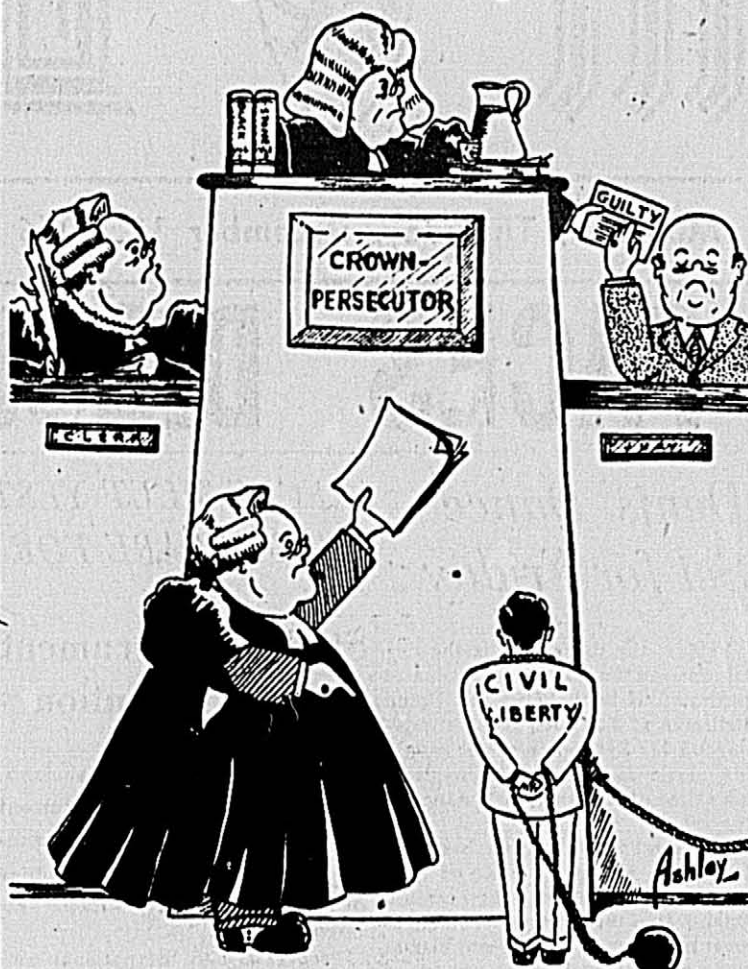
Mamie listens to the Met
On her little Philco set.
Everyday, she says, "I'm gonna,
Someday, be a prima-donna."
But her voice is so darn flat,
And her figure far too fat,
I guess her one and only hope
Is in the operas selling soap.

The conductor at rehearsal
Was tearing out his hair,
First, because the tuba man
Had rolled off his chair.
Then it was the harpist,
And he threatened to suspend her.
But all that he accomplished
Was to break his red suspender.
He only wanted Haydn
Without the usual "Schmalts",
But all they knew were "um-papa"
And the old "Missouri Waltz".

Joe Baloo,
To make his debut,
Walked onto the stage with a grin.
The people applauded,
The pianist nodded,
And he lifted his bow to begin.
But no music, alas!
For the silly ass
Had forgotten his violin.

—Arty.

"I'll Be Judge, I'll Be Jury!"



"Let the jury consider their verdict," the King said, for about the twentieth time that day.
"No, no!" said the Queen. "Sentence first—verdict afterwards."
"Stuff and nonsense!" said Alice loudly. "The idea of having the sentence first!"
"Hold your tongue!" said the Queen, turning purple.
"I won't!" said Alice.
"Off with her head!" the Queen shouted at the top of her voice.

LETTER FORUM

CORRECTION

Dear Sir,
I would like to correct an error in my political comment that appeared in yesterday's daily, on the first point of Japanese Canadians.

The incident was not on the deportation of Japanese Canadians but on the question of admission of Japanese Canadians to the university. A highly aroused student society meeting passed a resolution requesting the board of Governors to reconsider its decision on not permitting Japanese Canadians from attending McGill. The Board of Governors said they would reconsider the matter, and to date there has been no clear statement of the question.

I would like to take this opportunity to mention another incident which I failed to mention in yesterday's political comment.

Last year the Students Executive Council approved that there would be a rebroadcast of one of the Mock Parliaments that the Debating Society instituted on the campus last year. The C.B.C. was invited down and a recording was made of a discussion on housing that came before the parliament. All the necessary arrangement had been made and the broadcast was ready to go on, when the University authorities decided that the broadcast must not take place.

As for these actions on the part of the Board of Governors I would only ask one question. WHY?

Sincerely,
A. ARONOFF.

RINK AUDITORIUM

Dear Editor:
Let's face facts. The truth is not so evasive.

Miss Mary Howell, B.A. II, has had two letters in the Daily, and Mr. Rubin, B.Comm. III, one. All three were concerned with the Rink-Auditorium campaign. It is unfortunate that the object of the campaign is not clear in many students' minds.

The object is to save money not to waste it. Why continue to support the Forum? Students will still play hockey even though McGill's doesn't build the necessary tools to perform that innocent pastime.

If the real problem in Miss Howell's mind is to get money for food parcels sent by S.C.M. and books sent, by whom she does not state, then why doesn't she say so instead of using the Rink-Auditorium as a cover? Perhaps that shows how much the Rink Campaign is needed. Pardon the pun.

In any event if the latter campaign is not successful, and it may not be, because students and grads are usually very wise in use of their money and may feel that money these days can be given to better causes, then no harm will be done. Only a delay in the improving of the campus.

Meanwhile I hope all canvassing done by Miss Howell is legitimate. If so, let's hope that it gets adequate recognition and support.

Yours sincerely,
E. M. MITCHELL,
B.A. 4.

VETERAN GRANTS

Editor, The McGill Daily:
Dear Sir,—
The McGill Veterans' Society is soon holding a meeting to determine its policies for presentation at the National Conference. One policy, as expressed at this year's meetings, is that the Society should work for a general increase in

grants. I would like to make another suggestion for the consideration of the Veterans.

Most veterans had some savings when they started school. Those who did a little arithmetic realized that \$60.00 monthly was not going to cover the total cost, but would have to be supplemented by our savings and earnings. We are finding: 1) Cost of living is higher and our savings are going quicker than we expected. 2) Courses require all our attention and energy, and part-time work during the term seriously interferes with our studies.

Since the government has stated definitely that it never intended to underwrite education and does not intend to raise the grant, as the university group is already in a favored position compared to other veterans, it seems to me very doubtful that we will get anything more unless we modify our demands. Might we not suggest to them a graduated scale, based on the length of the course? Say \$60 the first year, \$65 the second, to a maximum of \$75 for single vets, and corresponding scales for married.

Those of us whose course is only one year feel very grateful to the government for making this opportunity available to us, and we do not feel justified in asking for increased grants for ourselves. However, we do appreciate how very difficult the situation must be for a student in a four- or five-year course, especially if he is married, and we wish to support the Veterans' Society in its efforts to help these vets.

Yours sincerely,
B. CARR.

Dear Sir:
With the late coal strike in the United States and the impending strikes in Canada holding the spotlight in political circles, bitter polemics have resulted on the campus as to whether John L. Lewis and his colleagues were justified in ordering their followers to halt work in the most important of all basic industries. It seems to the writer that the overwhelming majority of people have condemned Mr. Lewis in his actions. I therefore feel it would not be amiss to point out certain facts which should be seriously considered before castigating the union leaders.

In private enterprise countries, during normal times, it is an established fact that the working class segment of the population is not paid a wage commensurate with a decent standard of living. During peace-time labor is at the mercy of that powerful offspring that comes from the illicit union between capital and government. It is pitiful that only during an era of war can the laborer obtain the opportunity of improving his standard of living. It is only then that the laborer can force government and capital to abide to some extent to his needs and wants. Yes, it is an unhappy paradox that the only time at which the laborer can earn sufficient sums of money to somewhat enjoy the better things of life, occurs when members of his family are at the front line risking their lives.

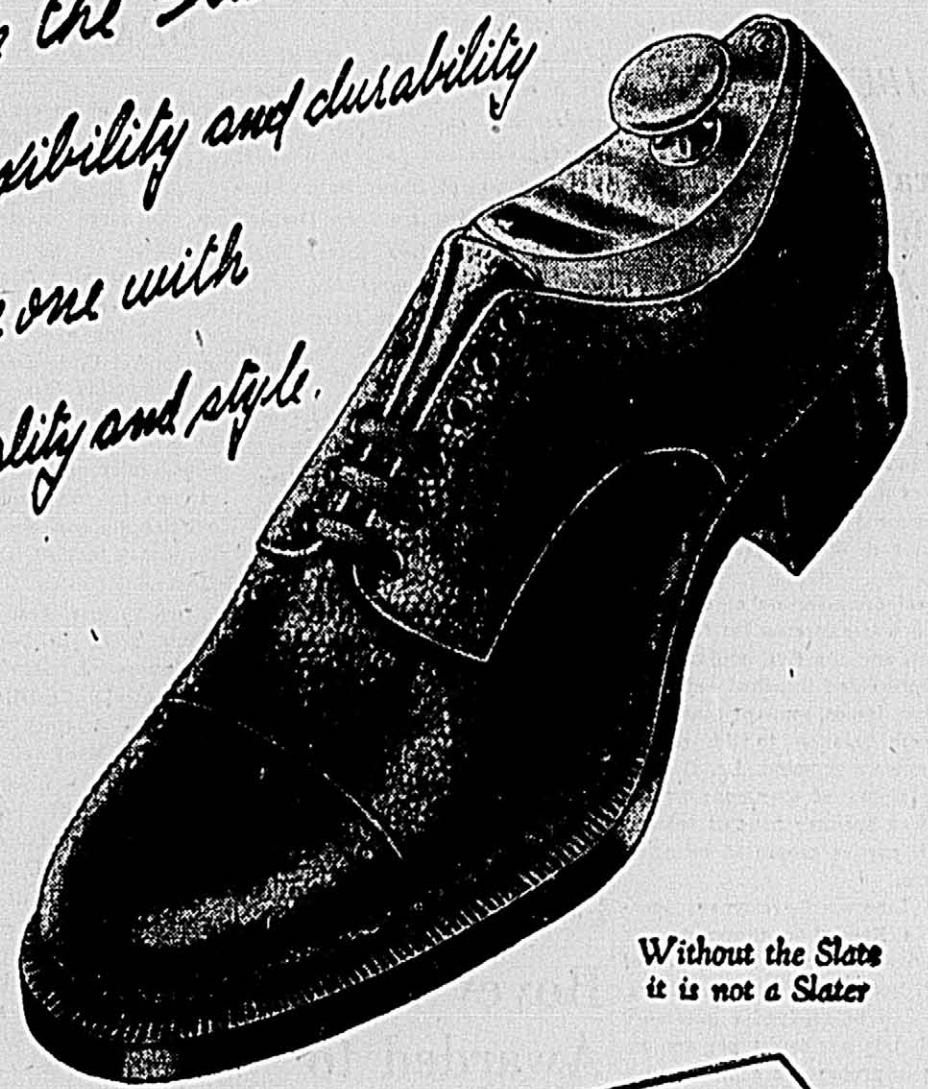
The aforementioned statements are not made a priori—any investigations as to what has occurred in the past thirty years will more than prove their authenticity. Today union leaders are determined that the hard won gains resulting from their efforts during the recent war shall not meet a

late similar to laborite gains that followed other global struggles. There is no doubt that the millions of lives lost in World War II have not been sacrificed in vain. As a result of the deeds of our brave soldiers, the world has entered a new era—a progressive era. Unfortunately there are still some amongst us who do not as yet admit that the age of reaction is a thing of the past. They cling to their anachronistic ideas as ferociously as ever. Well, it is up to labor and its leaders to crush the remnants of reaction. The precedent set by the outcome of the present strikes will once and for all let us know where we stand; in other words shall we on the

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McGill Intercollegiate Pucksters Meet Varsity Aggregation Friday

Over in the Queen City this Friday eve one of those "once in a life-time" hockey games has tremendous possibilities of materializing. It seems that the McGill Senior Pucksters are crossing the border into Ontario to take on their arch



Here is GOOSE GOSELIN, hockey star for McGill's Senior Pucksters.

rivals, Toronto Varsity, on the said date in the aforementioned metropolis.

Every time one of these squads is going to hit the ice, no matter who they are playing, the crowd is in for a real scrumptious treat. They are boys who have plenty of that old college drive, which in their particular cases is backed up with plenty of ability and team co-ordination as well. Brought into this peak of university-hockey perfection by two able war horses of the National Pastime (hockey), Irvine "Ace" Bailey for the Blues and Dave Campbell for the Redmen.

Dawson Lays Ski Plans For Coming Winter

"Dawson skiing is off to a good start. Organizational plans are well under way for the coming season," according to squad manager Ken Thomas. In a short talk to the Prospective Ski Team at the St. Johns College this week, Thomas, and acting president Gerry Locke, former western skiing star, outlined Dawson's skiing plans for the coming season.

The St. Johns group has joined the M.O.C., and the gathering was told that it would be necessary to join this organization, which has established a Dawson Branch, in order to compete under either McGill or Dawson colours. However, as members of the M.O.C., they will race on a Dawson team whenever possible, and if McGill is allowed to enter only one team in any event, Dawson's best skiers will be on it.

Of the twenty odd skiers who attended the meeting, most were interested in Downhill and slalom racing. Only two wished to compete in Cross-Country alone, and one in the Jumping events.

NO "MEET" RATIONING
Already Dawson has received an invitation to send a team to a three way meet sponsored by the University of Montreal. This meet will be held some time in March. Another one, held by the McGill Skiing Club, should be of interest to individual skiers. It will be held much sooner, January fifth, at St. Sauveur.

Water-poloists Suffer Double Loss to 'Y's'

McGill got it in the "pool" last night as both of their water-polo teams went down to decisive decisions out in the M.A.A.A. swimming arena. Although putting up a terrific battle all the way, both teams failed to turn the tide of the score, while they did manage at times to take the play away from their more experienced opponents.

The first game was between the powerful Y.M.H.A. squad and the senior Red natators. This was a fast and furious encounter in which the Mount Royal boys piled up a 4-point lead under the leadership of Taffier, who garnered four. The final score was 6-2 as Earle and Milhon each countered solos for the losers.

In the following encounter two boys, each on opposite teams, were flashing up and down the waterways with the class of Johnny Weismuller. These lads were Parkinson of McGill, who got his team's only two points, and Logan of the Y.M.C.A., who potted four of his team's eight counters.

the two teams are the most feared in North American "student puck-circles."

PUFF!

It so happens that these two aggregations are going to battle it out at Varsity Arena over this weekend; it also happens that these two teams were tied for the Intercollegiate Championship last year which was decided by a play-off tussle which McGill won. Added to this powder keg is a grid-iron, basketball, track, etc. rivalry which goes back for over two decades.

Both aggregations have copied wins in their opening encounters; Varsity trouncing Queen's 7-1 and McGill coming through with a close 3-2 triumph over a revamped U. of M. team. The real test of their strength and that for the Intercollegiate Championship of 1946-47 however, will not take place until they have their own private meeting. Truly unfortunate that Red and White students won't be out en masse to witness the explosion.

Supposed spark plugs of this year's version of the Varsity Blues are big, Ed Kryzanowski, captain and well known bruiser on the defence, Robert Henry, first string centre man, and Don Bark of football fame. These boys will be matching their wares against McGill's dependables, such as: the Hile brothers, Reg Sinclair, "Goose" Goselin, Doug Heron, Bob Broderick, Ernie Spiller, Pettit and Pittfield.

A note has just been handed to me. It states that due to the fact that 15 men will now be allowed to be dressed for Intercollegiate Hockey games, a spanking new line of Brough, Miller, and Anderson will don skates for the forthcoming tussle in Toronto.

Red Shorts

by Liz

There has been a lot of furor recently about the athletic setup at McGill, and it has not left the coeds unscathed. At a recent M.W.S.A.A. Council meeting, the question of policy arose. It was generally felt that maximum participation for intercollegiate sport should be stressed rather than the present policy of allowing a few athletic coeds to more or less monopolize the team positions of the major college teams. This is not a reflection on these girls, but a compliment on their athletic prowess.

However the majority seemed to feel that a coed in trying to "make" more than one team is not able to give her best to each and still keep up her studies. All felt that the rewards of travelling with a team should be shared by a greater number of women students. It was therefore decided that, effective next autumn, no coed can be on more than one intercollegiate team, barring tennis.

WHO? WHAT? WHERE?
The first question will be, why the exception for tennis? The reason is really quite obvious: Intercollegiate tennis takes place in the first three weeks of college; coeds arrive in the fall having practiced all summer; there is no special coaching; they tryout for the team and are sent to play in the match. If a coed is going to have to make a choice between playing a sport which finishes at the beginning of the season or one which takes a whole term, she is more likely to

Intercollegiate Rules Changed

A "special" release from the McGill Athletics' Office reveals that two important new rulings have been made on Intercollegiate Sports. These new rules affect the two most prominent college athletic sports, namely Football and Hockey.

With the realization that these difficult rugged games need an increase in those allowed to play in a single game, the new rulings are designed to aid both sports out in the quantity department. As far as football goes, the player increase in a single game is four.

Previously only 18 members were allowed to play with two extra players who could "dress." Now 24 players are allowed on the bench. In hockey the amount on the bench to play has been increased from 18 to 14.

Ken Taylor Leader Of Scoring Parade As St. John's Win

By BOB USHER

Playin' gtheir usual loose and aggressive ball, the Dawson Senior M.B.L. team climbed into second spot in the standings last evening by defeating the cellar-dwelling Rocklanders by a 30-25 score. Even with Ken Taylor's stylish game resulting in twelve points for the Red and Blue, the Dawsonites found no little trouble in keeping down the winless Rockland team. Surging out from under an 18-8 half-time score to tie the game up at 23-all with 6 minutes to go, the Kasnoff-coached bunch with Phil Ostroff in the lead really put a scare into the penalty-ridden St. John's aggregation.

With 600 people watching, Coach Charlie Goldbloom changed "Happy" Kasnoff's expression to a far from gay one as seventeen fouls gave Rockland half their points, but still not a win. This victory places the Orlick boys only one game behind the leading Y.M.H.A. cagers, which game can be made up by a win over Georgians at Dawson on Monday.

CORDAGE SWOOSHED

Coming out in the first half with a snappy attack that seemed to dazzle their opponents, the out-of-town lads sprung into a 10 point half-time lead. Perfect accuracy was displayed as Coach "Chuck" Goldbloom and Bob Forcand each potted three baskets on nicely aimed long shots. For the Outremont team, Captain Moe Brenhouse put

in his regular heady game at guard. Helped by Phil Ostroff, who came too late for the first half, jumping on the floor to become top Rockland scorer, the North-end boys picked up and really started to fight. With the aid of many Dawson penalties (of which each player received at least one), the Rockland hoopsters finally caught up to their seemingly overconfident opponents. However, the extra punch of the Goldbloom boys did the trick, and with eight last period marks by Ken Taylor, the Dawson team walked off the floor triumphant.

In this game, for the first time in the last few weeks, the St. John's lineup was crashed by a new player, in the person of Sammy Evans. Sammy played a good deal of ball in McGill during 1942 and '43 and in the services. At the present he is attending McGill University, and from his showing last evening, he looked as though he would soon be a top-notch player with a bit of practice to condition him.

LINEUPS:

DAWSON: Goldbloom (6), Geary (2), Vern Taylor (2), Ken Taylor (12), Forcand (6), Evans (2), Somers, Holmes, Keel.

ROCKLAND (25): Brenhouse (6), Rosenwelt (3), Kossy (1), Brick (6), Etcovitch (1), Ostroff (7), Lands, Kalpakis, Kaufman.

Officials: Ewart Jones and Frank Ulley.

"Doc" Sabbath, Outstanding McGill Grappler Behind Auditorium Campaign

The idea of McGill eventually having a complete sports centre, including a large armory and gymnasium, sufficient squash courts, separate rooms for all major and minor sports, a swimming pool, and most important, a rink and auditorium, is enough to make the students feel that our university's great intellectual achievements are at last going to be matched by her athletic achievements.

It may not be known to a sufficient number at McGill that our university won, in total points and individual championships, the major athletic awards of the entire Dominion. If we show the other colleges that this is possible with our present limited facilities, how much more will we prove our superiority with our present plans, of expansion.

McGill athletes have shown the student body their worth. It is now up to the entire undergraduate body to show their appreciation, not only by their spirit of support, but by dollars and cents, in a practical and permanent manner.

It is about time McGill shows the rest of the Canadian colleges that we cannot only equal their sports centres, but surpass them, and do it by ourselves, not by applauding the efforts of the Graduates' Society.

A self-sufficient, self-controlled, and self-governed athletic centre is something that our university needs. We want to be able to invite visiting athletic teams to McGill, not to the Forum, or to Schubert's Public Bath House.

The students may be well assured that the individual people at McGill who have brought fame to our university through their sporting activities have all contributed their share to the Rink-Auditorium Campaign, but all the students have yet to respond likewise.

The next time you hear of "Old McGill" winning a championship you will be able to feel a more personal pride as you will have directly contributed to it.

McGill Sailing Club Elects Executive Slate

The McGill Sailing Club got off to a flying start last night in the Union reading room with slightly more than 100 prospective members in attendance.

Besides electing a new executive the members approved the building of five Y Flyers by the students during the Winter term. These are to be built on the top floor of the Field-house.

Also approved by the members was the Club's financial scheme. This includes the raising of sufficient funds for the building of the boats by means of a raffle for one of the Y Flyers built by the Club. The price of the tickets (which will go on sale on Monday) will be 25c each and five for \$1.00.

EXECUTIVE ELECTED
The following were elected to executive positions:

Commodore: Bruce Ramsey.
1st Vice-Commodore: Robin Townsend.
2nd Vice-Commodore (Club's Dawson Representative): Doug Woodward.
Rear-Commodore: George Reiley.
Secretary: Joan Staniforth.
Treasurer: Harold Routhwaite.

Although last night's turnout was excellent, it is felt that there are probably many who were unable, for one reason or another, to attend the meeting, who would have otherwise have done so. Therefore if there are any of these people and if they are interested in sailing, or building boats, or selling raffle tickets, they will find sympathetic ears from Joan Staniforth at EL 2218 of Bruce Ramsey at PL 2675, or any other member of the executive.

M. O. C. Xmas Holidays

Well kids, Christmas is coming, and that means skiing, and the place to do it is at the M.O.C. House at Shawbridge. You'll find a lot of super people, including two instructors who are just drooling to get their hands on the beginners and semi-beginners who want to learn to ski, gratis.

You'll need warm clothes, and it might be a good idea to bring a blanket; for you could blooded enthusiasts. The sleeping fee is fifty cents a night, and food, \$1.05 a day. The sleeping reservations are made at the Gym for boys, and room 504E in R.V.C. for girls; at the time of reservations you pay for the sleeping quarters.

So come on, and sign up right away; lots of kids have already, but there's room for more.

ENGLISH RUGBY.
All those who played on the McGill English Rugby Team in the games against Toronto and Queen's are asked to be sure and turn out to the gym at 6 p.m. on this Friday for a picture of the Intercollegiate team.

ATTENTION BOXERS AND WRESTLERS.
There will be no classes held today, Thursday, as the Fencing Club is sponsoring a dance tonight and need the B.W.F. room for decorations.

SKIERS.
If you haven't made out your application for your zone card this is your last chance. After tonight at 5 p.m. no entries will be accepted. You can't race this year without one.

Net Swishers

Red Senior Cage Squad Faces Tough Opposition This Weekend

By HAROLD PUGASH
(Daily Staff Writer.)

With one win chalked up against two defeats in their game to date, the Red and White Senior cage squad hits the road this weekend with the intention of improving their win and loss record. The Redmen have no easy task facing them on their jaunt, being scheduled to play two of the toughest teams in Eastern U.S.

Facing Lew Davies' boys on Friday night will be the Middlebury aggregation that the locals defeated at the Currie gym last season. Coach Davies has his charges set for a repeat performance on the Middlebury floor, with the tilt promising to be a closely fought affair.

VERMONT TOUGH
The opposition Saturday p.m. should prove to be much stronger than the Middlebury quintet, with the Redmen facing Vermont College in Burlington. The Vermont squad capped the championship laurels in the Eastern American League last semester which serves to show that the boys from Burlington are a power laden team. The Clarkson quintet that swamped the locals at last Saturday's Athletic Festival play in this same league and were one of the teams the Vermonters beat out to gain the title. All these past showings give plenty of indication that our Redmen will know they have been in a tough game when the final whistle blows on the Burlington

floor Saturday night. Leading the locals in their foray south of the border will be George "The Sharpshooter" Davidson, the squad's high scorer to date. Davidson has amassed an imposing total of 45 points in three games this season and has been a consistently strong man on the defence as well.



Above is GEORGE DAVIDSON, high scorer on the Red and White cage team.

Blonde Bobby Duford, who has shown very well this season, Ken Hoyle, Sam Roth, and possibly Phil Weisberg, if studies don't cancel his trip, round out the first-stringers on the Davies' squad that will be seeking glory at the expense of our good neighbors to the south.

Flags and Flushes

By Schuss

The rain and thaw this week probably has done the members of the skiing fraternity a good turn. Your reporter hooked on the hickories for the first time this year two weekends ago and found that although there was about 8 inches of fresh powder snow, there was no base, with the result that Hill 69, where about 30 people were riding the tow, was quickly scrapped down to grass and rock. A freeze-up now would remedy this situation and make a good solid crust to hold future snow falls.

BIG LIFT
The long heralded Alpine lift will be in operation this winter, running to the top of the ridge overlooking Hills 70 and 71, but in our opinion this will do little to improve the skiing. The big hills are so congested now that they quickly become rutted and icy after each snowfall. More people shussing the hill from the top will only increase the hazards of skiing and further tear up the surface of the slope.

A report from Andre Badeau, ski pro at Ste. Marguerite, indicates that the two ski tows he was building back of Far Hills Inn will not be in operation, at least for the beginning of the season.

Someone, caught in the ski tow craze, has strung a rope up a gentle hummock facing Hill 69. A more profitable location would have been

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Target Trifles

By Trigger

The McGill Rifle Team shooting in the Morris division of the Montreal Sporting Rifle Association's annual competition won another four points when they met the Montreal Tramways Green Team at the McGill Range on Tuesday night.

This gives the McGill Team 12 points out of a possible 12 to date.

Total scores were:
McGill 1497 — 111x; points 4
Tramways 1463 — 80x; points 0
McGill Team: R. W. Butler 300—27x, W. Hanson-Hing 300—21x, D. H. Ladd 299—22x, R. S. Cross 289—21x, W. Smith 299—20x.

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NOTICE

SPECIAL MEETING
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STUDENT'S SOCIETY
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TODAY AT 5.00 P.M.
to discuss the following resolution

We the Students of McGill University, wish to register our protest of the actions taken by Premier Duplessis against the Witnesses of Jehovah. Although we do not support this particular sect or its methods, we recognize that the fundamental rights of freedom of speech and of worship must be observed in a democratic society. Premier Duplessis in jailing the Witnesses and in particular depriving Mr. Roncarelli of his commercial license, has indicated that these rights are not to be observed in Quebec.

LETTER FORUM

North American continent progress or regress.

SCOOPEO AGAIN
December 11, 1946.

Dear Sir:
I would like to register a strong protest against recent actions of the Athletics Office and bring to light a discouraging situation.

For three years sports-minded students have been waiting for the C.I.A.U. to relax its limitations on the amount of players eligible to play in football and hockey games. The C.I.A.U. did this as was announced in the Montreal Star yesterday. Similarly Coach Doug Kerr's resignation was announced in the Star. These important stories first appeared in the Star because the McGill Athletics Office chose to release the announcements at a time of day when the Star would be the first paper to publish it.

The McGill Daily has very little "big" news to break as it can only cover a small field while the Star has a lot of "scoop" since it covers a much larger field. The sports staff of the Daily works hard and long to make the Sports page a success and, while it asks for no reward, it certainly deserves a little consideration from the Athletics Office. It deserves the "break" to get first crack at such big news releases as mentioned above, even though the Athletics Office appears to differ in this view.

If the McGill Daily is to call itself a newspaper (and not just an announcement sheet for clubs) then it must be given the chance to break important college news to the campus. Would someone please tell the Athletics Office of this? Its about time the Athletics Office changed its policy of releasing all big news stories at a time of day to enable the Montreal Star to scoop the Daily. Let's give the Daily some consideration—what do you say, Athletics Office?

Hopefully yours,
SAUL H. RUBIN.

December 11, 1946.

Dear Sir:—During the past few days a great number of absurd letters have appeared on the subject of the Jehovah's Witnesses. I am not a supporter of the Union Nationale party, nor am I a Roman Catholic, so I cannot be accused of prejudice in this matter. However, I find the actions of these people disgusting.

It is commonly overlooked that they are not members of a religious sect, on the contrary they attack all religion. They are not Christians, but spare no efforts to attack the Christian Church and its people. They are a highly organized commercial group. In wartime they openly espoused the cause of Hitler and Mussolini. They were banned in Australia and New Zealand. Certainly no one could accuse these nations of intolerance! In wartime they gave information as to the whereabouts of Allied ships to the Japanese. They gained many adherents in Quebec who sought by this means to escape war service as conscientious objectors. They are seditious and disloyal in the extreme. They have made libelous and obscene attacks upon England and the U.S. Their recent leader, "Judge" Ruthenford was divorced, the court finding "his behaviour too disgusting to be borne by any woman". Their claim to be ministers is too absurd to discuss. Their twisting and misinterpretation of Bible texts out of their context is disgusting beyond description. The unfortunate morons who peddle their trash on street corners—their imbecility taken advantage of to make money for their unscrupulous leaders—are public nuisances. Are we to use the Daily to further the aims of this traitorous band by giving the publicity they seek—no means too foul—and suddenly find laws satisfactory for so many nears and far?

I can prove all these statements and the perfect justice and legality of this action.

I remain,
Yours truly,
DONALD HUGHES, B.A. 3.
4069 Grand Boulevard,
Montreal 28.

Dear Sir:
We wholeheartedly support the sentiments expressed by Mary Howell on the question of students lack of concern with broad world and student issues. It is true that the publicity, support and organization for the Memorial campaign dwarfs that made available on projects such as I.S.S., for example. This does not mean that the Memorial project should be opposed. It does emphasize the necessity for increased awareness of, and increased participation in campaigns which aim at the achievement of new and better opportunities for students and for all youth. We welcome the improvement in recreational facilities the rink-auditorium-swimming pool will provide. Let us recognize, however, that little is being done to provide even a minimum of such facilities for the majority of Canadian youth.

In the past year there has been

goal demands the realization that only by first building at home in every way can we even attempt to break ground in foreign lands.

Strong, real, athletic competition provides in visible form the heights of mental as well as physical health, and in the process imparts sections of it to all who come in contact with it.

Let us complete this campaign. Invest in the future. Invest in yourself.

Sincerely,
R. A. FORBES,
Mgr. McGill Rowing Club.

Dear Sir:
Through the medium of the "Daily" I would like to thank those who nominated me and those who voted for me in yesterday's election. My congratulations to Jim Paterson who I am sure will successfully represent the Faculty of Arts and Science.

MICHAEL OLIVER.

Dear Sir:—I should like through the medium of the Daily to express my views on the subject of the Rink Auditorium Campaign, and also to reply to Mr. R. E. Corrigan.

I feel that Miss Howell's objections to the nature of the campaign objective are sound in every detail. I also feel, however, that, since the mistake had already been made, and the campaign irrevocably underway, her remarks were rather ill-timed, serving only to undermine the project, without doing any actual good.

As for Mr. Corrigan, his attitude of supercilious condescension towards Miss Howell would undoubtedly prove infuriating to her, if only she would accept Mr. Corrigan's opinion as to her sanity as final, which is, I imagine rather unlikely.

His incredibly shallow antidote for future war seems to be that European standards of living should be depressed as low as possible, that hundreds of millions of Europeans, the majority of whom were our allies in the last war, should be kept in a state of near-starvation and suffering. The ridiculous nature of this proposal speaks for itself, being as it is the product of the narrow type of thinking which characterized the pre-war Harbor isolationists.

Mr. Corrigan asks what McGill could do; Miss Howell answered this question before it was asked, with constructive proposals suggesting, amongst other things, that we of McGill provide books for European University students, and send parcels of clothing and food overseas.

He asks, rather proudly, if his view-point is not cynical. It is cynical, all right, Mr. Corrigan; it is also pessimistically morbid, masquerading under the pretense of being practical. Europeans, strange though it may seem to you, are humans too, and not until decent standards of living, security, and happiness are obtained for each and every inhabitant of the "One World" of Mr. Wilkie, will the problem of lasting peace be solved.

Yours sincerely,
JOHN A. MACKAY,
Arts 2.

December 11, 1946.

In reply to H. G.'s letter, I would like to thank him for a very unprejudiced analysis of the current controversy, Rink-Auditorium VS Students' campaign and further ask him to enlighten me on one more detail.

How can it be explained that we over here in America never seem to get involved in a set of circumstances that will lead to war, whilst they over there for some inexplicable reason will always play a vital part in the building of a said structure of circumstances which lead to war.

Canada and the United States are presently taking quite an integral part in international debates, but it is only in an attempt to solve difficulties that basically pertain to others, hence no one can say that we will now become involved in that circumstantial structure that will eventually lead to another war.

Yours truly,
R. E. CORRIGAN,
B. Comm. 2.

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Forty-three men students who have been studying at Dawson College will complete their work in St. Johns at the end of this month, and transfer to McGill proper, while 361 men and eight women are scheduled to go to Dawson College at this time. These will be additional to those students already at Dawson whose work carries on until the May final examinations.

Yours truly,
JOHN A. MACKAY,
Arts 2.

December 11, 1946.

In reply to H. G.'s letter, I would like to thank him for a very unprejudiced analysis of the current controversy, Rink-Auditorium VS Students' campaign and further ask him to enlighten me on one more detail.

How can it be explained that we over here in America never seem to get involved in a set of circumstances that will lead to war, whilst they over there for some inexplicable reason will always play a vital part in the building of a said structure of circumstances which lead to war.

Canada and the United States are presently taking quite an integral part in international debates, but it is only in an attempt to solve difficulties that basically pertain to others, hence no one can say that we will now become involved in that circumstantial structure that will eventually lead to another war.

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These cards may be obtained from the Deans' office, from Room 16 of the Arts Building, or from Mr. E. C. Knowles at Dawson College. These cards should be completed as soon as possible.

ENGINEERING I

Chisholm, F. H. B.
Doyle, W. G. H.
Harasym, W. A.
Hippin, R. J.
Hogan, H. R.
Knight, O. W.
Lapointe, P. P.
McCallum, Colin
McCrimmon, Angus
MacLain, D. A.
Maron, R. G.
Oatridge, P. N.
Rogers, F. LeV.
Strachan, J. D.
Zinnate, A. P.

ENGINEERING III

Barrett, F. J.
Deakin, R. S.
Paquet, J. A. Z.
Rogers, J. T.

ENGINEERING IV

Barrett, P. F.
Layton, R. F. J.
MacKay, A. E.
Mosher, E. M.
Townsend, S. A. (Arch. IV)
Vallee, G. G.

ENGINEERING II

Aber, W.
Booth, J. D.
Cordeau, J. P.
DeJean, E.
Fullerton, J. J.
Gellert, V. J.
Gilmour, C.
Girouard, H.
Goddard, C. N.
Gropewald, J. L.
Hamilton, G.
Hockey, H. F.
Kearns, F. J.
Kernychny, M.
Laflamme, W. D.
Larson, R.
McFaul, A. G.
Malloy, M. K.
Mazurkiewicz, M.
Pilgrim, C. F.
Skellon, P.
Sladek, G. J.
Smith, G. M.
Stafford, L. R.
Tait, R. A.
Woods, H. G.

MEDICINE I

Cark, J. P.
Gibson, W. M.
Luchs, D.
Quayle, J. T. B.
Yakushavich, Alice

MEDICINE III

Curren, J. V.
Lasseter, E. L.
Levine, A. H.
Linkletter, A. M.
Lowe, H. T.
Rider, R.

MEDICINE II

Cooper, R. M.
Costello, J. B.
Hume, W. G. M.
James, J. L. L.
Jamieson, K. F.
Jones, E. Aenid
MacAulay, A. G. S.
Smith, Clifton, C.
Van Patter, H. T.

1849 Annexation Speech Topic; History Club Plans Anniversary

A meeting of the McGill Historical Society was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Cranford Pratt. In spite of the inclement weather there was a large attendance. The new constitution of the society was read, amended and approved by the members. Plans for the fiftieth anniversary banquet to be held late in January were then discussed.

Mr. Sandy Mills gave a talk on the "Annexation Movement of 1849." Beginning by tracing the European background of this controversy, the speaker went on to explain that the chief motive behind the movement was economic. The very important Montreal people who were the leaders in the dispute felt, said Mr. Mills, that "it was far better to eat roast beef under a President than red herring under a Monarch."

Mr. Mills then went on to explain the importance of the Rebellion

Losses' Bill which had lit the fuse beneath the powder keg. The great statesmanship of the Governor General, Lord Elgin was emphasized. In spite of riots in Montreal resulting in the destruction of the Parliament Building, he was ultimately successful in negotiating the Reciprocity Treaty which restored the economic prosperity of Canada. This, said Mr. Mills, took the wind out of the sails of the Annexationists and marked the change-over of the Canadian economy from the European to the American market. To illustrate the strong feeling of the people at this period, Mr. Mills read extracts from newspaper editorials of the day. These proved very interesting and amusing, not only for their content, but for their forceful style.

Following this talk, a discussion of the topic followed and specific points were further emphasized by Mr. Mills.

Library School Janet Dixon
Architecture Ted Baker

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trois; 2) the maintenance of full employment, and 3) the support of part-time employment, while at the same time urging that more adequate measures be instituted so that such methods of putting students through college will no longer be necessary; provoked considerable discussion, and therefore were tabled for further work during the next term.

With all this discussion, time had flown, so that the meeting was recessed until Thursday (today) at 12:30 in the Ballroom.

SPANISH CLUB.

Tonight at 8 p.m. in the Grill Room, Senior Julio from Argentina will address members of the Club and friends. Everybody should come as the topic of his speech promises to be of great interest to everyone. Consult yesterday's Daily to find out what the topic is. Refreshments will be served. Elections will be held for the following positions: President, Vice-President, Secretary and Publicity Director.

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BASKETBALL:	Intersection, Wed., 5.00-6.00 at R.V.C. Fri., 4.00-6.00 at R.V.C. Team, Thurs., 7.30-9.30 at CURRIE GYM Sat., 10.00-12.00 at CURRIE GYM	
FENCING:	Women, Tues., 5.00-6.00 at CURRIE GYM Mixed, Thurs., 7.00-9.00 at CURRIE GYM	
MODERN DANCE:	Junior, Mon., 4.00-5.30 at R.V.C. Senior, Tues., 5.30-7.30 at R.V.C.	
SQUASH:	Coaching, Tues., 2.15-3.45 at CURRIE GYM	

SCIENCE FICTION SOCIETY

The next meeting of the Science Fiction Society will be held in the Union Grill Room on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Members, please attend, and bring those friends who may wish to join. Any persons interested in science fiction are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

CHORAL SOCIETY.

Don't forget the SPECIAL PRACTICE TODAY at 5.00 p.m., same place. Come even if you can't stay full time.

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Take the one of longer duration. For this reason it was felt that the tennis team would suffer too heavily by this rule, hence the exception.

As was just stated, a girl will have to decide where her talents lie and where she will be most likely to succeed in making an intercollegiate team. Then, and only then, will she be able to concentrate her whole energies on this one activity. More people will therefore be encouraged to try for a team when they realize that so-and-so, who is fairly good at that sport, is trying for another team that year. With all available talent spread over a wider field, there will be more incentive for coeds to try-out for teams. This will increase the athletic participation in women's sports.

POT POURRI

Al Tunis, last seen disappearing in a welter of notes and term papers, ceded for the time being his "Bouquets and Brickbats" department to Red Shorts, and so... a corsage and a megaphone to the coed behind us at the hockey game on Saturday night for her fine show of college spirit, and a dateless weekend to all who have not contributed to the rink auditorium campaign.

Special thanks and congratulations go this weekend to our new reporter Barbara Watson who assisted in writing Tuesday's column. (Did you see what she said about hockey?)

Fencers are all set for their big event tonight at 8.30 in the Gym when they join together in an evening of fun and dancing. The management stated that no duelling would take place as it might get violent... Ah well! we all must have our fun...

In last night's basketball match, Section C defeated Section E in a rough and tumble match. Though not trying to belittle C's victory, section E was handicapped by a lack of subs. It was a close and exciting game with a final score of 19-18 for C. Section F and Section H did not come to grips last night, but intend to play sometime next week.

In order to finish the circuit before Christmas, the games scheduled for next Wednesday will be played on this coming Friday. Please see the notice board to find out which sections will be playing. That's all for now.

LIS.

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experienced opponent.

DOUBLES TOURNEY TOO

If a player wins his first match, he continues to play one rival after another until he tastes defeat and is thus eliminated. If he loses his first, he can make his trip worthwhile by joining up in a doubles consolation tourney. And don't think that a doubles' tourney is less interesting than a single's. When you have four fellows in a court smashing away at one ball, you are always on the go, especially since no two partners can hit a ball two consecutive times. Those who lack experience in playing doubles will

receive helpful pointers for the asking.

Squash is now definitely one of McGill's most popular sports for getting in condition. It's a game that creates good sportsmanship, and in which both winner and loser enjoy themselves. Big things are planned for all squash enthusiasts as shown by the challenge lists now up in the locker-room.

So sign up now, you present and future racqueters, at the locker-room to start play at 1.30, 2.00 or 2.30. Everybody who turns out is in store for an afternoon of big happenings and plenty of action. Let's make this the biggest squash knockout tourney ever held in Montreal by topping the M.A.A.A.'s record of 66.

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12, that is today. If you intend to race this year, it is very important that you get your card. Go to the Athletics office before 6 p.m. and put in your application, if you have not already done so.

There will be another ski meeting at 5 p.m. this evening in the lecture room at the gym. Harry Pangman will give a talk on cross country racing, and ski manager George Riley will have some words to say to prospective members of the ski team. Up the steps from the men's room in the Pub.

ZONE CARD DEADLINE

The deadline for applying for your zone card is Thursday, Dec.

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This seems to leave the beginners and less experienced skiers out in the cold, but such is decidedly not the case. Some expert skiers have volunteered to instruct anyone who wishes to learn, and those on the Dawson campus who have never had the chance to ski before, should not miss this opportunity to learn this invigorating sport, even if they never intend to compete.

At the close of Monday's meeting, Gerry Locke announced that there would be a general meeting next Tuesday in order to elect a permanent executive, and discuss plans for the coming season. He hoped that there would be a good turnout. The results of last week's snowfall at Dawson have virtually disappeared, but there will be more snow soon, so don't forget to be there. Time: 7 p.m. Place: Room 11, Dawson Hall.

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